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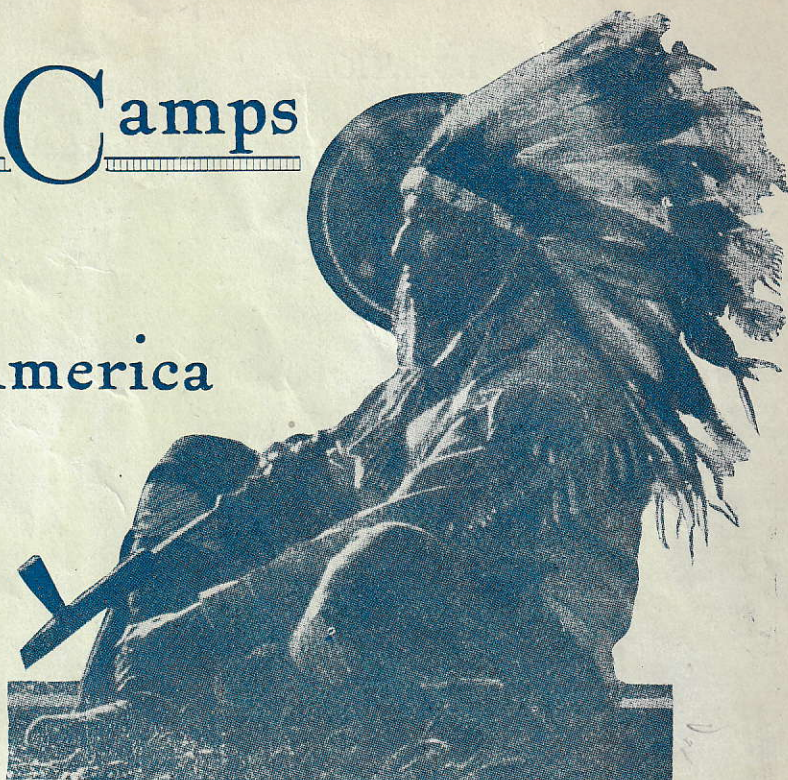
The Owasippe Camps

CHICAGO COUNCIL

Boy Scouts *of* America

Crystal Lake

WHITEHALL
MICHIGAN



"By the Light of the Silvery Moon"—at Owasippe

CAMP DAN BEARD

North Shore and West Side Districts

CAMP McDONALD

South West, Stock Yards and Central Mfg. Districts

CAMP JAMES E. WEST

South Shore and Calumet Districts

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LOCATION

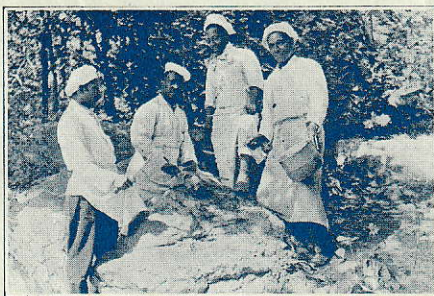
On Crystal Lake, Whitehall, Michigan, nestling in among the hills, are The Owasippe Camps, one of the choicest Scout Camp sites of the country. Here with plenty of water for swimming, fishing and boating, but safe from the storms incident to a big body of water—and with almost limitless woods and fields around—the scout—your boy finds opportunity for the fun and adventure he craves and for advancement in the scout work which he seeks. And you, as a parent, are sure that he finds that degree of safety and comfort which you desire for him.



Woods and Water

TRANSPORTATION

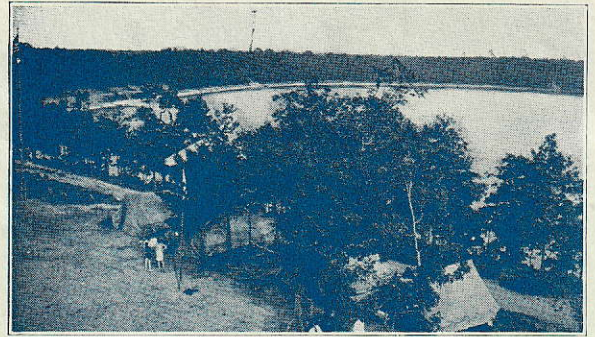
Goodrich Boats for Whitehall leave every Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock, Chicago time, reaching camp at night-fall. Scouts are perfectly safe as they come and go.



Real Pullman Chefs

COMMISSARY

Good plain, wholesome food, cooked by experienced chefs under sanitary conditions will build up your boy's body while in an Owasippe camp. He gets plenty of everything he needs—everything that is good for him—nothing he shouldn't have. He can purchase not more than 15c worth of confections per day at the Trading Post. This is all he should have. Please do not send "goodies" to camp as often this is the greatest source of work for the camp physician. Under camp rules your boy gets plenty of good food for all his needs. To send him more, may injure more than it helps.



The Scout Haven

CAMP ARRANGEMENTS

Tents are pitched on dry, well drained, sandy soil. Here the boys sleep, comfortably and healthfully.

Each of the three boys' camps will have its own kitchen and dining facilities. Each camp also has its own swimming and boating docks.

Troops are urged to come as a unit with their own Scoutmaster or other adult in charge. Then they will be grouped together and operate as one unit at camp. Where there are not enough boys from one troop to operate on this basis, boys will be formed into model "Camp Troops," and leadership furnished.

ACTIVITIES

The two weeks is entirely taken up with a program of instruction, wholesome recreation and proper rest. No better balanced program could be devised for boys of Scout Age.

Mornings are devoted to interesting construction and instruction in Scoutcraft—afternoons to recreation. Emphasis is placed on woodcraft and Scoutcraft games rather than to those formalized branches of athletics. The bi-weekly program includes woodcraft games, hikes, inter-troop and inter-camp scoutcraft and swimming meets. Evening programs are recreational and inspirational. These include night games, night hikes, stunt nights, camp fires and ceremonial council fires. Hardly any afternoon or any two evenings in a period have the same program



Real Scoutcraft—A Signal Tower



The Crystal Crescent

HEALTH

A good resident physician is at camp to look after the physical welfare of every boy. Even the slightest cold is promptly treated. Frequent inspection will reveal any other condition needing attention. There was no case of communicable disease or serious accident in the entire group of Owasispe Camps last season. To be perfectly sure that your boy comes home stronger than he leaves you have only to have him examined before and after. Naturally any special condition needing attention should be reported at the time of registration. Every scout should have a physical examination before coming to camp and bring with him a physician's certificate as to his condition.

A SCOUT IS REVERENT

While in Camp your boy is reverent as he is at home. And no matter what his creed he has the opportunity for worship. As scouting reaches boys of every creed every safeguard is thrown about the personal religious interest of every Scout.

On Sunday, separate service will be conducted for the boys of the three major religious bodies.

VISITING DAYS

Thursday and Sunday afternoons are the only visiting days. Parents and friends are cordially invited on these days. Two days advance notice should be given, however. Such guests will be charged 75c per meal. Sunday dinners \$1.00. Fathers can be accommodated over night.

Camping by visitors on camp reservation is not permitted.



Sheridan Road

SWIMMING AND LIFE SAVING

Crystal Lake is safe. It is small enough to be free from ravaging storms—large enough to afford ample swimming facilities. Long sloping beaches—clean sand—allow your boy to go in swimming, always under the eye of a watchful instructor, without the danger of getting beyond his depth.

Scouts are allowed in the water only at stated times—and then only under the strictest supervision. Holders of American Red Cross Certificates will be in charge of all swimming.

A "Sinker" is a boy who cannot swim. He wears a badge made of a safety pin, a piece of red flannel and a fish line sinker until he qualifies as a swimmer. Naturally every scout will do his very best to rid himself of that badge.



Come on in, Skinny!

SPENDING MONEY

Under camp conditions your son cannot spend more than \$2.00 per period in spending money. We ask you not to send more. All money is kept for him in the camp bank.

CAMP LIBRARY

Through the courtesy of the Chicago Public Library, there is a complete list of interesting books for boys at Camp Owasispe. Here are just the nature books that fascinate boys of scout age. Leisure moments will be well filled.



A Tug of War

MAIL

Mail should be addressed to the individual camp the boy is in, **THUS:**

SCOUT JOHN DOE,
Owasispe Scout Camps,
Camp McDonald,
Whitehall, Michigan

CAMP PERIODS

There will be four Camp periods:

I—June 26th—July 8th
II—July 10th—July 22nd

III—July 24th—August 5th
IV—August 7th—August 19th

COST IS EXCEEDINGLY LOW

The cost of one two-week period (including transportation to and from camp) is but \$13.00. One week only—\$8.00 (including transportation).

Additional weeks, beyond one period, \$6.50 each. Many boys stay a month; many all season.

As the capacity of the camps is limited, and preference will be given in case any period is over applied for, to new boys rather than to those applying at camp for extension of registration, all are advised to make their original application for the full time which they intend to stay at camp.

REGISTRATION

Reservation application for camp is enclosed herewith. As choice of camp locations will be given to those troops first registering, it is advised that reservation be made at the earliest possible date.

Early registration will also enable the camp authorities accurately to judge the number going to camp, and to make all necessary arrangements in ample time.

THE CAMP STAFF

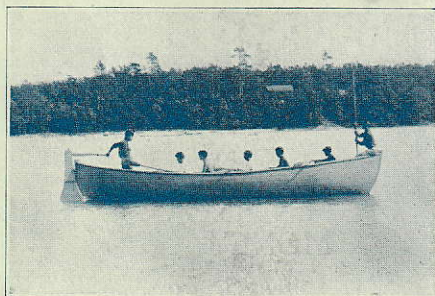
The Chief Camp Director will be G. B. Stephenson, Scout Executive of Chicago. Under him the same individual camp directors will serve this year as last, as follows:

CAMP DAN BEARD—Walter H. Gunn, Field Scout Executive of the North Shore District.
CAMP McDONALD—Claude V. Hines, Field Scout Executive of the South West District.
CAMP JAMES E. WEST—Carroll A. Edson, Field Scout Executive of the South Shore District.

Capt. Herman Mayhew, of the Morgan Park Military Academy, will again be the Chief Quartermaster.

They are all men of many years' experience in camping.

The staff will be stronger than ever. The safety and health as well as the enjoyment and the educational training of the boys will be well looked after.



Cutter Drill

DAILY PROGRAM

(CHICAGO TIME)

6:30	Reveille and Flag Raising
6:35	Drill (Setting up exercise)
6:45	Morning Dip
7:00	Blankets Out and Tent Clean Up
7:20	First Call
7:30	Morning Mess
8:15	Sick Call
8:15 to 9:00	Policing Camp
9:00	Recall
9:00 to 11:00	Pioneering, Scoutcraft and Special Instruction
11:00	Recall
11:10 to 11:50	Morning Swim (Instruction in Swimming and Life Saving)
11:50	Recall
11:50 to 12:20	Dress and Prepare Tents for Inspection
12:20	First Call
12:30 to 1:30	Noon Mess and Mail Delivery
1:30 to 2:00	Trading Post Open
1:30 to 2:30	Quiet Hour Siesta (write letters, rest, read, etc.)
2:30 to 5:00	Afternoon Hikes, Games, etc., Boating
5:00 to 5:45	Afternoon Swim
5:45 to 6:00	Dress for Evening Review
6:00 to 6:15	Guard Mount and School of Troop
6:15	Assembly
6:15 to 6:40	Inspection (Troop) Retreat and Evening Colors
6:40	First Call
6:45 to 7:15	Evening Mess
7:30 to 8:30	Evening Games, etc.
8:30 to 9:25	Camp Fire, Stunts and other Evening Activities
9:25	Tattoo
9:30	Taps



Owasippe's Colors

WHAT TO TAKE

3 woolen blankets or equivalent weighing at least 10 pounds.
Scout uniform (if he has one) to be worn on trip.
2 extra shirts suitable for outdoor wear

1 pair shorts	Comb and brush
1 change of underwear	Dentifrice
1 extra pair of strong shoes (not tennis slippers)	Safety pins, etc.
4 pairs stockings (preferably wool)	6 handkerchiefs
Bathing suit or trunks	1 small pair scissors
Pocket knife	Pencil and paper
Scout handbook	1 heavy sweater
2 hand towels	1 pair pajamas
2 bath towels	1 poncho or raincoat
Toilet soap	Scout mess kit (if he has one)

The following additional articles are desirable, but not necessary: Compass, musical instrument, camera, field glasses, rope, laundry bag, haversack or knapsack.

The above lists are complete for any length of time in Camp and no other articles should be added. Baggage should consist of one large suitcase or telescope, blankets being rolled separately or carried by a shawl strap or similar means. The Scouts' baggage is carried for them to and from the docks and camp. All articles of clothing must be plainly marked in indelible ink with Scout's full name, and a list of contents must be pasted inside each suitcase.



Merit Badge Lodge

CAMP CHECAUGAU

For those boys who desire an even less expensive camp, or to be nearer the City, the Chicago Council maintains Camp Checaugau in the Forest Preserves near Palatine, Illinois, at a cost of \$9 for a two-week period. This camp will be under the leadership of Dr. J. H. Sowerby, Field Scout Executive of the North West District. For further information apply to the District Office or to the Central Scout Office, 203 South Dearborn Street Telephone Wabash 9315.